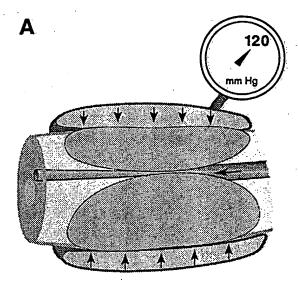
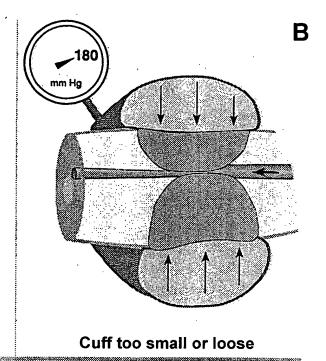
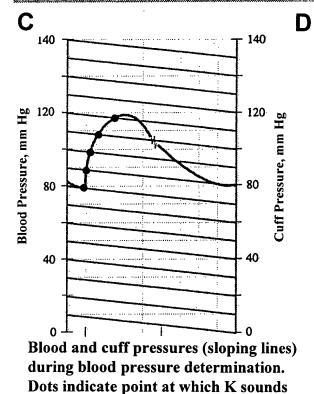
Measurement of Arterial Blood Pressure



Cuff Size: width ≥ .4 arm circumference length ≥ .8 arm circumference

Adequate cuff





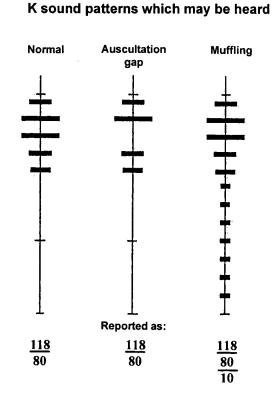


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Arterial Pulse/BP, (Proximal Aorta)

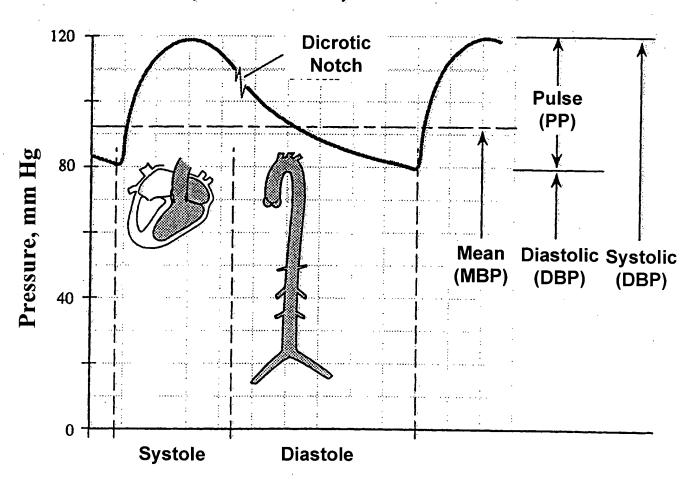


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Peripheral Pulses

Pulse Rate = pulses/60 sec

Normal: 72 +8 Tachycardia -14 Bradycardia

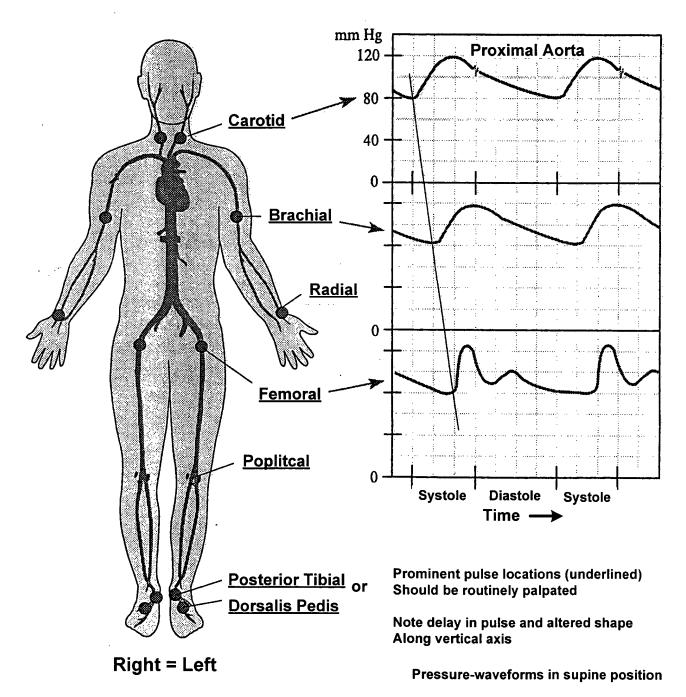
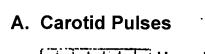


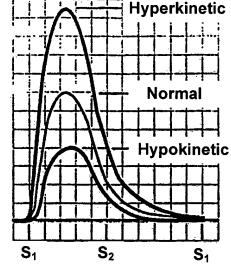
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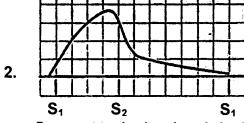
Contour of Carotid Pulse and Cardiac Impulse



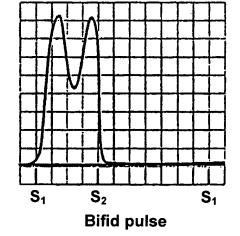
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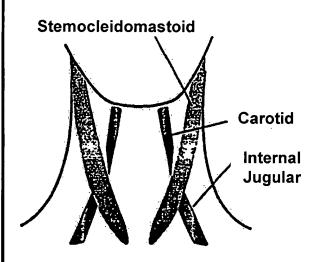




Parvus et tardus (weak and slow)
pulse or aortic stenosis or
other outflow obstruction



B. Location of carotid and jugular pulses



C. Jugular Venous Pulses

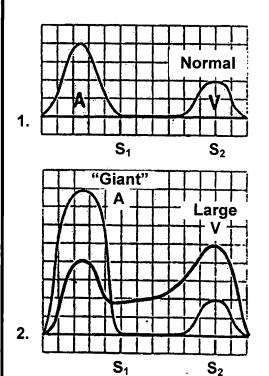
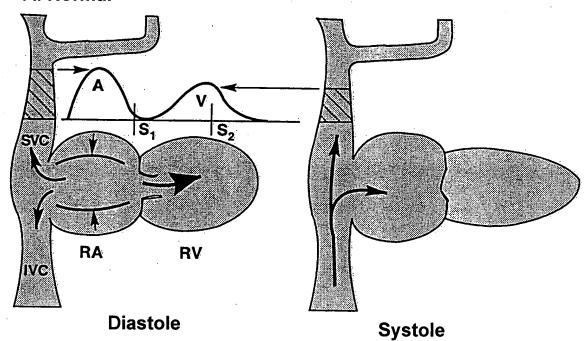


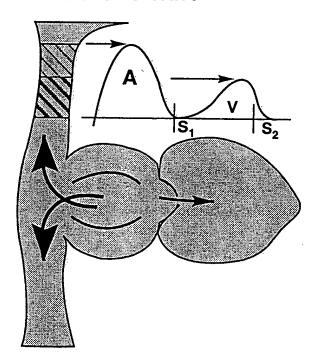
FIG. 4 PRIOR ART

Jugular Venous Pulses

A. Normal



B. Giant 'A' Wave



C. Large 'V' Wave

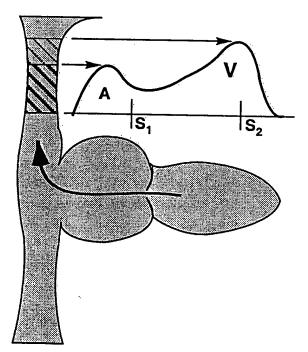
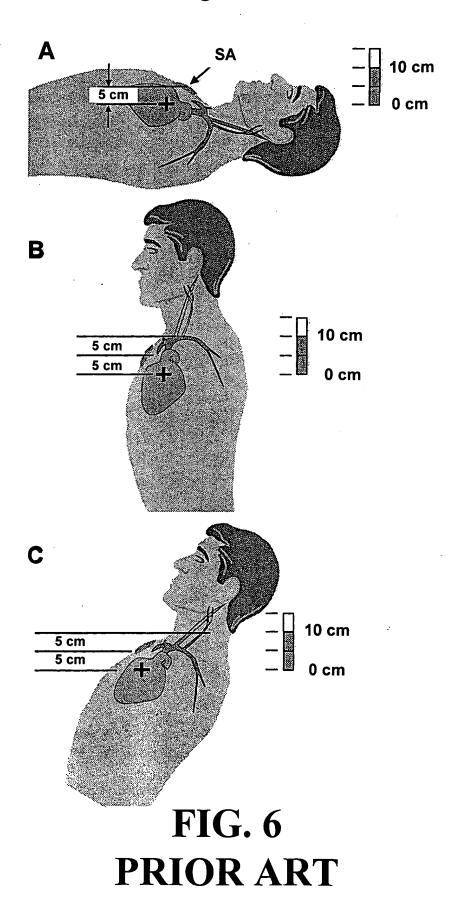


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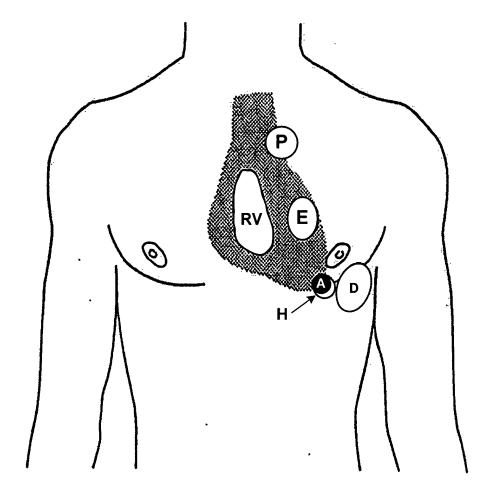
Determination of Right Atrial Mean Pressure



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Principal Areas of Cardiac Impulses



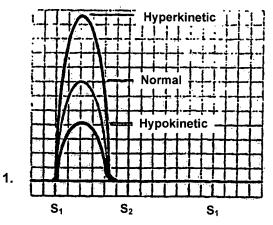
- A Normal left ventricular apical area, "dime sized," 5LICS-MCL
- (H) "Hypertrophied" left ventricular apical area, "quarter sized," May be slightly shifted inferiorly or laterally
- (D) "Dilated" left ventricular apical area, marked size increase, shifted laterally
- (E) Ectopic area of left ventricle
- P Pulmonic area, 2LICS, parasternal
- RV Right ventricle area along lower left sternal border

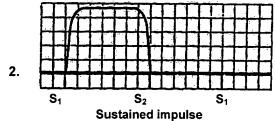
Primary areas of precordial pulstation: As you progress you will find that additional areas of abnormal pulsation may occasionally be found

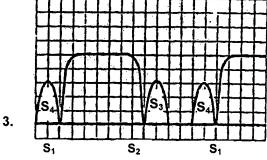
FIG. 7 PRIOR ART

Contour of Precordial Ventricular Impulses

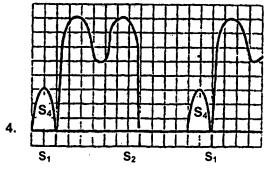
Precordial Impulses







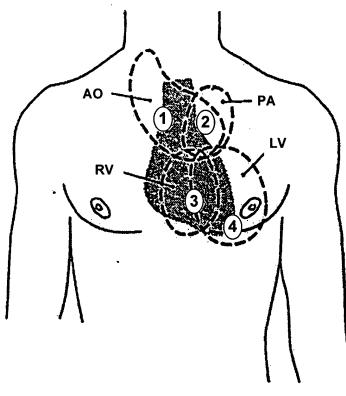
Sustained impulse with palpable S₃ and S₄ (which usually occurs singly)



Bifid impulse of HOCM with S₄ ("triple ripple")

FIG. 8 PRIOR ART

Primary Areas for Cardiac Auscultation



- (1) Aortic Area (2RSB)
- (2) Pulmonic Area (2LSB)
- 3) Tricuspid Area (4LSB)
- Mitral, (Apical) Area (5LICS, MCL)
 As you progress you will find that
 additional areas are necessary in cardiac
 auscultation.

Optimal locations for auscultations of the various anatomic regions are shown in numbered circles. Typical extent of the sounds from various areas are shown by dotted lines. This extent will vary with pathology and some sounds and murmurs may "radiate" to other areas such as the left axilla in mitral regurgiation. Sounds from the aorta, pulmonary artery and left artium may be heard well or even best over the posterior upper thorax as shown.

FIG. 9 PRIOR ART

Perceived Loudness of Heart Sounds and Quiet Speech at Same Sound Level (~50 dB SPL)

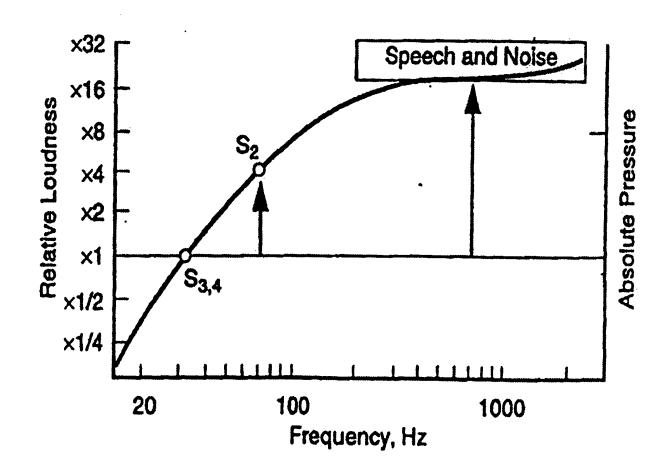
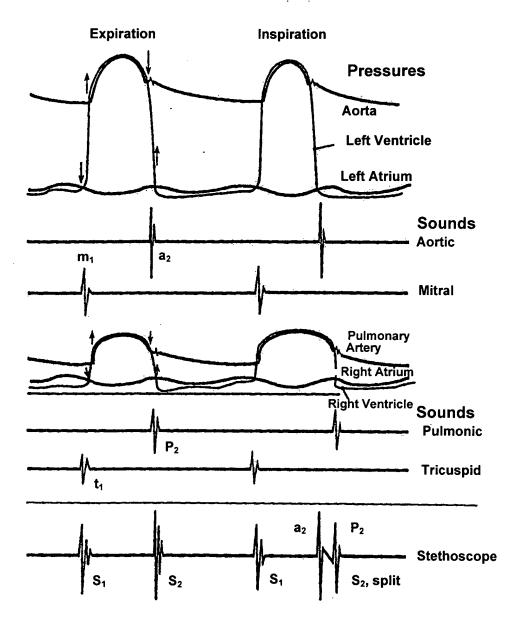


FIG. 10 PRIOR ART

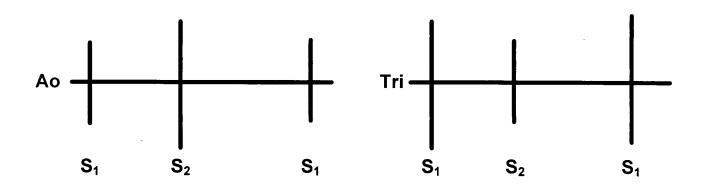
Generation of Normal Heart Sounds, S₁,



Normal valves open silently, indicated by \(\frac{1}{2}\). Closing times, indicted by \(\frac{1}{2}\), of mitral and tricuspid valves are typically so close that their individual sounds m1 and t1, merge to form S1. On expiration the same is true for aortic and pulmonic valves and their sounds, a2 and p2. With increased negative intrathoracic pressure on inspiration the right heart increase its volume and blood is retained in the lungs, reducing left heart volume. Consequently closure of the pulmonic valve is delayed by ejection of the larger volume while aortic valve closure occurs earlier than normal, thus "splitting" the usually merged second heart sounds. Respiratory splitting of the second heart sound occurs in some 30% of normal youth, but its prevalence is reduced by age until it is normally absent by age 60.

FIG. 11 PRIOR ART

Normal Heart Sounds vs. Auscultatory Areas, Typical



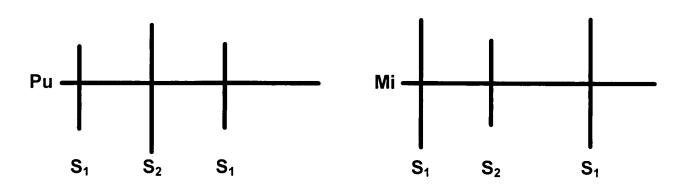
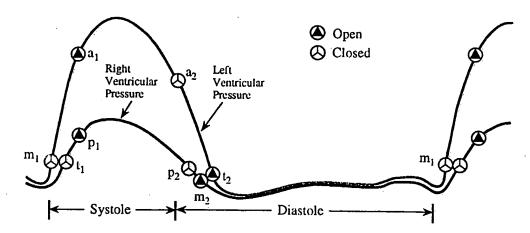
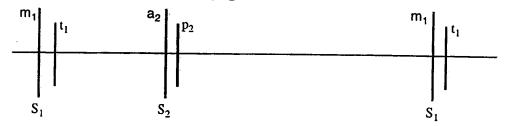


FIG. 12 PRIOR ART

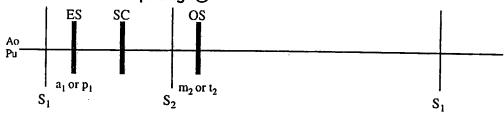
Basic Heart Sounds



1. $S_{1,2}$ Valve closure and splitting \bigcirc



2. Abnormal Valve Opening (a)



3. S_{3,4} Ventricular Filling

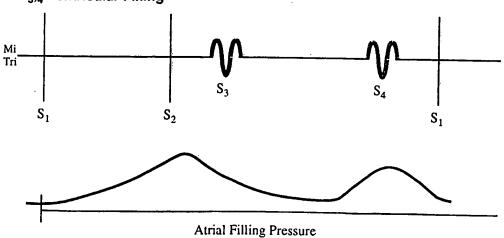
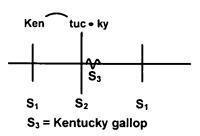


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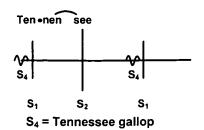
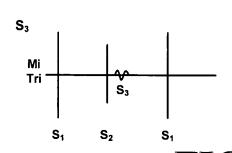


FIG. 14 PRIOR ART



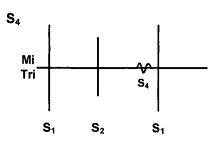
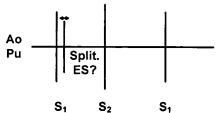
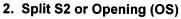


FIG. 15 PRIOR ART

1. Split S1 or Ejection Sound (ES)





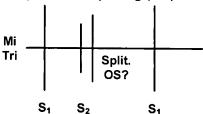
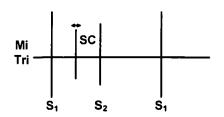


FIG. 16 PRIOR ART

1. Single Systolic Click



2. Multiple Systolic Clicks

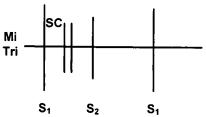


FIG. 17 PRIOR ART

Generation of S₃ and S₄

- A Normal filling of ventricles does not cause displacement and diastole is silent
- B Excess velocity of blood early in filling may "shove" the ventricle longitudinally ventricle causing oscillation (dotted lines) and an S₃, in some normals.

 Excess blood flow may cause a physiologic S₃.
- C A stiff ventricle may be longitudinally displaced by normal filling. This usually produces an S₄ but an S₃ may be present.
- D A volume overloaded ventricle may be displaced and usually produces an S₃ but may produce an S₄.

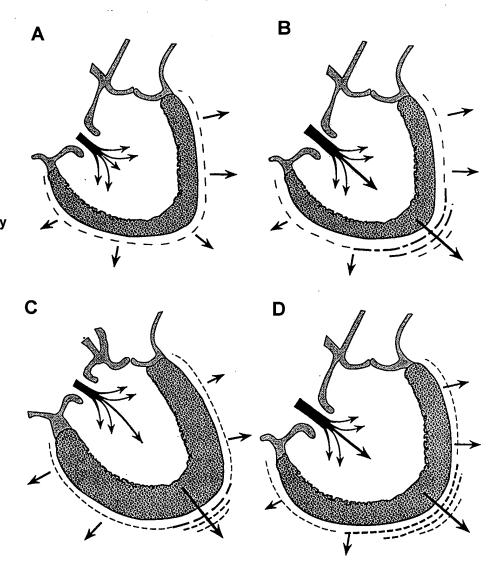


FIG. 18 PRIOR ART

Basic Cardiac Murmurs (Right or Left Ventrical)

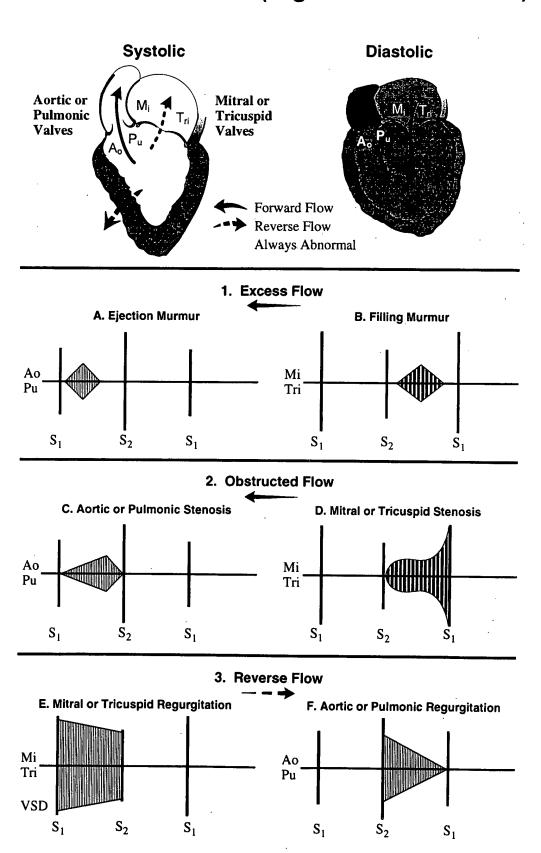


FIG. 19 - Prior Art

Diagrammatic and Descriptive Features of Heart Sounds/Murmurs

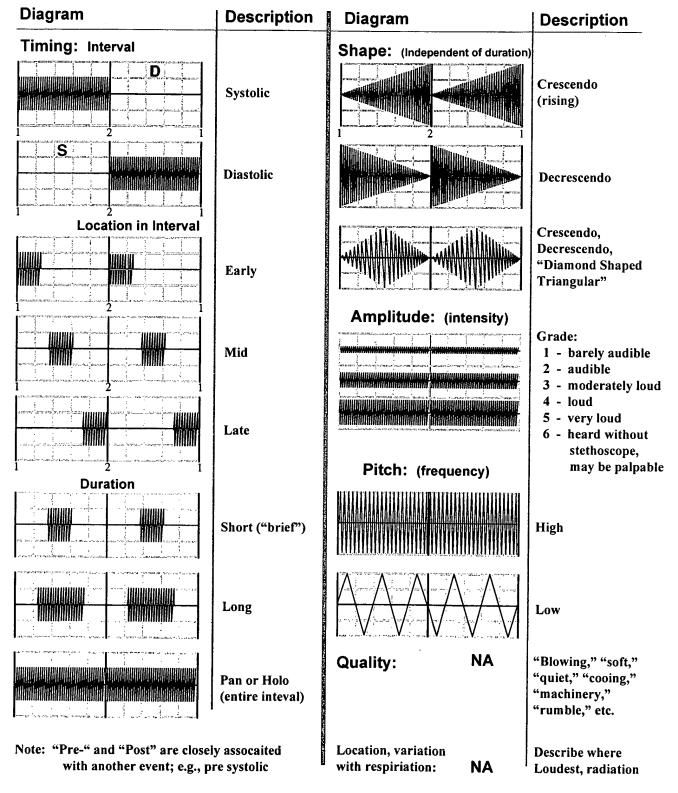
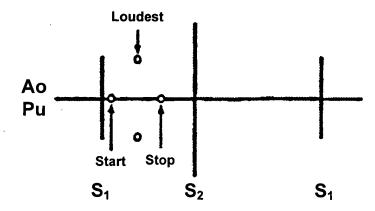


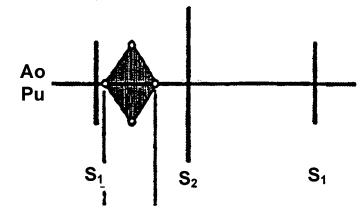
FIG. 20 PRIOR ART

Ejection Murmurs

A. Critical Points



B. Profile



C. Velocity Profile

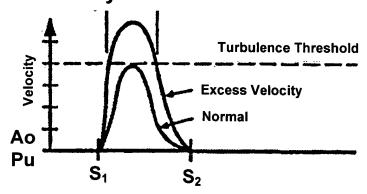
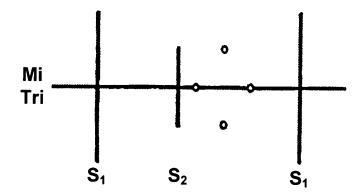


FIG. 21 PRIOR ART

Filling Murmurs

A. Critical Points



B. Sound Profile

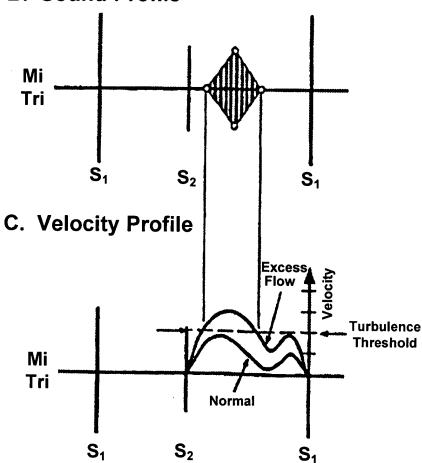


FIG. 22 PRIOR ART

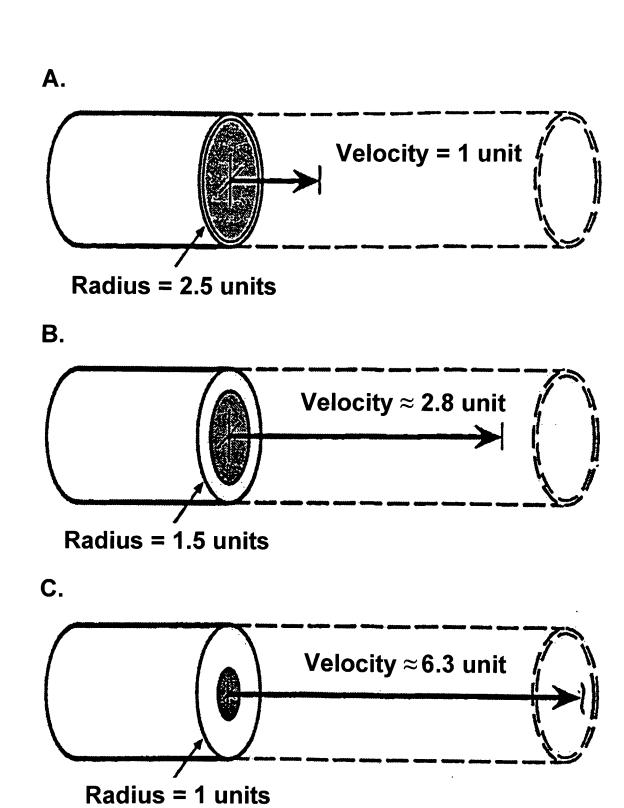
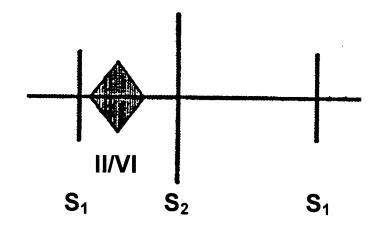


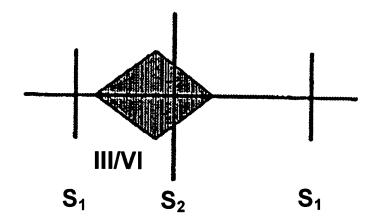
FIG. 23 PRIOR ART

Peripheral Murmurs – Bruits, Soufflés, etc.

A. Right Carotid



B. Left Carotid



C. Abdomen



FIG. 24 PRIOR ART

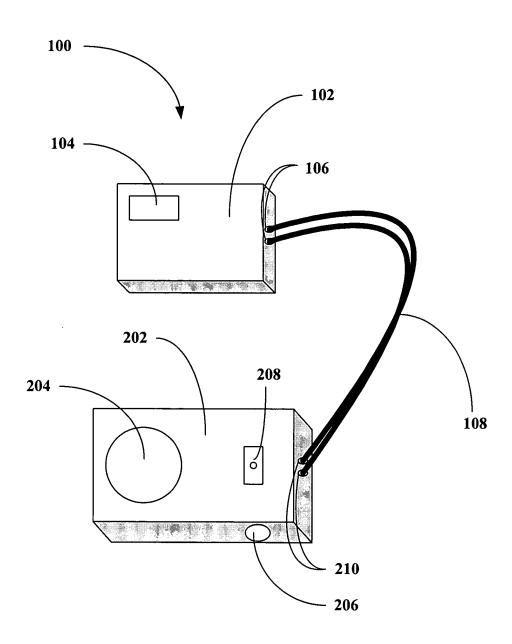


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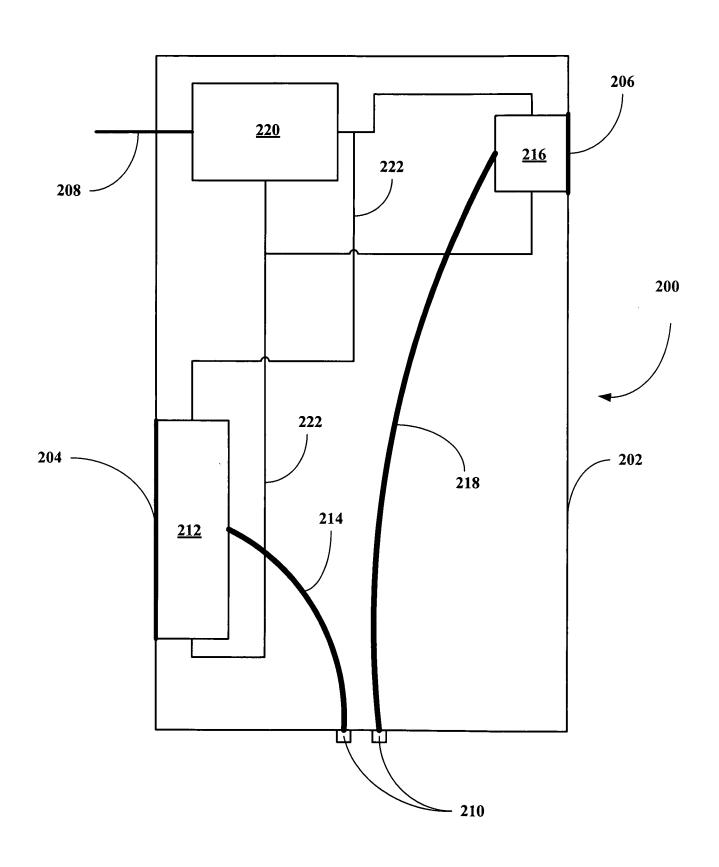


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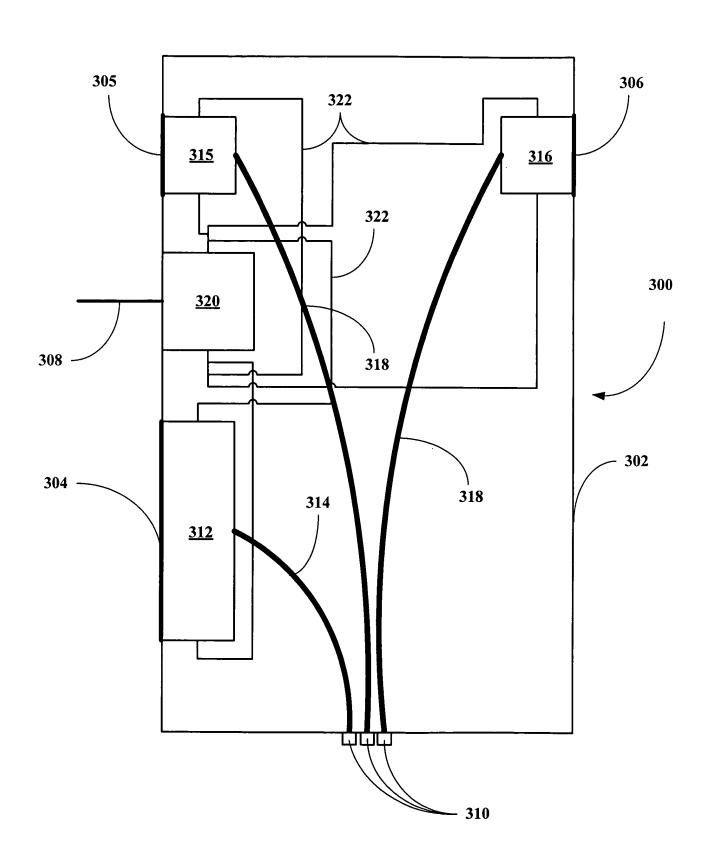


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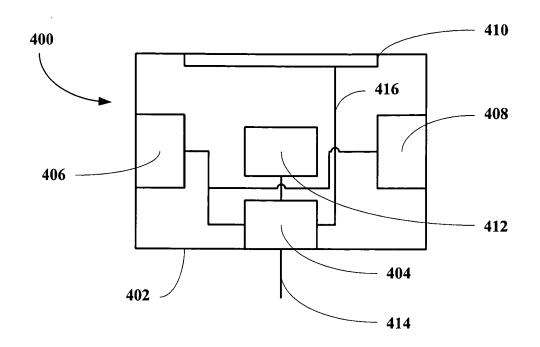


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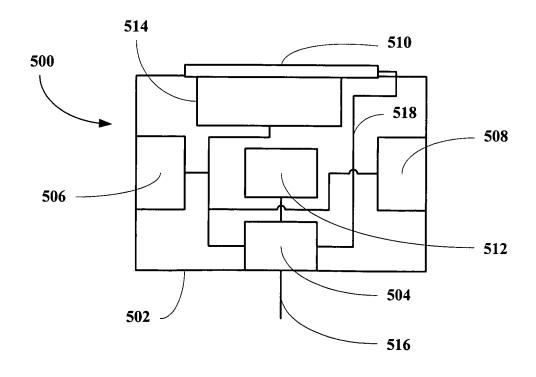


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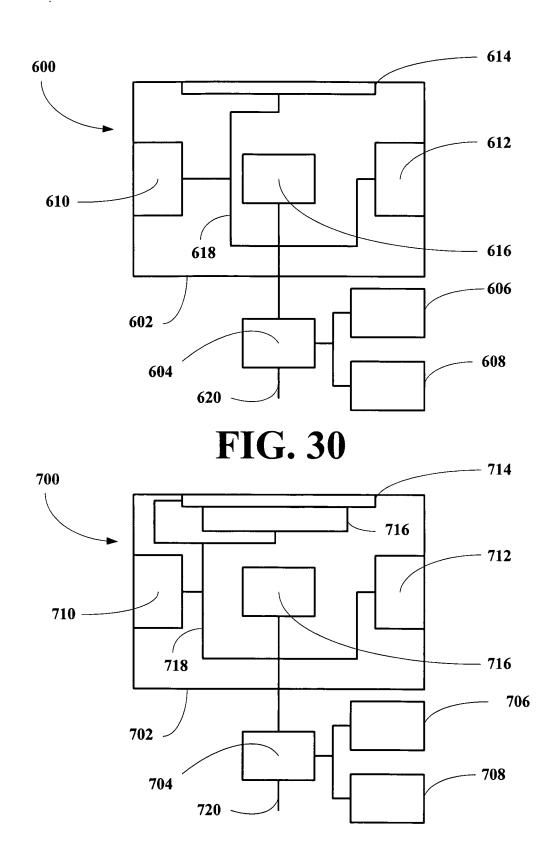


FIG. 31